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AMENDMENT

In reply to the Official Action dated October 22, 2003 (for which petition is hereby made for a two month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment

| previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 14 | 4 x | \$ 18.00 | | \$ | 252.00 |
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| If proper multiple dependent claims now added for fire | rst time, add | \$290.00 (ignore improper) | • | \$ | 0.00 |
| Petition is hereby made to extend the current due dat paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$420.00/2 | | • | | \$ | 420.00 |
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| If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and s Applicant claims "small entity" status. | | nt filed herewith | | -\$ | 336.00 |
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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